

This letter is concerning LPFM broadcasting and its effect on existing FM translators. If the proposed rule changes are enacted this could allow LPFM stations priority over my FM translator services.

I listen to K-LOVE, a national radio program broadcast on over 150 stations, many of which are FM translators. This is the only radio program I listen to, and I listen regularly 4-6 hours per day, as do many other K-LOVE listeners. K-LOVE is one of very few programs that provides completely family-friendly programming 24 hours a day seven days a week. The entire content of their programming is intentionally devoted to encouraging listeners to do good in their lives, their community, and their nation. We need more of this type of programming, and need to ensure that nothing is done to interrupt the current programming. If the LPFM services are allowed to displace FM translators where K-LOVE is heard, this positive and encouraging voice on the air will be lost. The people in those communities will suffer as a result of not having this available. Currently K-LOVE not only provides the broadcast, but encourages listeners who are going through life's struggles, to call to talk and pray with on-staff pastors. This provides much needed help to those listeners.

Please be aware of the above when considering the proposed rule changes that allow this service to be eliminated. Act to ensure that the FM translators can continue their existing broadcasts.

Thank you,

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